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## 1954 Catalog

# Whites' Nursery & Florist

EVERYTHING FOR MOUNTAIN  
GARDENS AND HOMES



Serving Northwestern Colorado  
For 36 Years

Luther White and Son

*Across from Rio Blanco County Fairgrounds*

Meeker, Colo.

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## EVERGREENS

The following evergreens will be available about the middle of April. All are nice finished plants, three times transplanted, and balled and burlapped.

**JUNIPER—Pfitzer**—Low spreading form. Sure to succeed. 15-18 inch \$7.75 each; 18-24 inch \$9.50 each.

**JUNIPER—Savin** — Upright-spreading form, dark green foliage. Seldom over 4 feet high. 15-18 inches \$7.75; 18-24 inch \$9.50.

**JUNIPER—Colorado Scopulorum**—Silvery foliage, close symmetrical upright growth. Very hardy. 2½-3 foot trees \$9.50 each.

**JUNIPER—Scopulorum Platinum**—Plant Pat. 1070. Brilliant silvery-blue color retained year around. Dense foliage. 2-2½ foot trees \$10.95 each.

**AUSTRIAN PINE** — Rapid growing long needle pine, compact and neat. 2-3 foot trees \$7.75 each.

**PONDEROSA PINE**—Our native Western Yellow Pine, long light green needles. 2-3 foot trees \$9.50 each.

## ORNAMENTAL TREES

The trees we are listing here have proved to be the most desirable for Northwestern Colorado conditions. The sizes we offer are the best for safe transplanting and quick growth. Plant trees as early in the spring as soil conditions will permit.

**GREEN ASH**—A very dependable clean growing medium sized tree. Exceptionally good for street planting. 6-8 foot trees \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.50.

**THORNLESS HONEYLOCUST** — A fine upright growing tree. We recommend it for general planting. 6-8 foot trees \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.50. 8-10 foot trees \$3.50 each; 3 for \$10.00. 10-12 foot trees \$4.00 each; 3 for \$11.50.

**SILVER MAPLE**—Do not confuse this with Silver Poplar. This is a better tree but harder to start. 6-8 foot trees \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.75.

**HACKBERRY** — Resembles American Elm. Desirable shade tree. It is not affected by diseases that attack the elms. 6-8 foot trees \$3.75; 3 for \$10.75.

**BLACK LOCUST** — Need a tree the stock won't eat? This is it! Drought resistant. Fragrant white flowers in May. 6-8 foot trees \$1.75; 3 for \$5.00.

**COTTONLESS COTTONWOOD** — A quick growing tree. Good where moisture conditions are adequate. 6-8 foot trees \$1.95; 3 for \$5.50; 8-10 foot, \$2.75; 3 for \$7.95.

**NIOBE WILLOW** — This is the hardiest of the weeping willows. It has green to yellow bark and long pendulous branches. 6-8 foot trees \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.50.

**CHINESE ELM**—A very fast growing tree adapted to rather dry locations. Will prove most satisfactory where water can be withheld the latter part of the season. 6-8 foot trees \$1.75; 3 for \$5.00. 8-10 foot trees \$2.25; 3 for \$6.50.

**AMERICAN ELM** — One of the best trees. Hardy when well established. 6-8 foot trees \$2.25; 3 for \$6.50.

**NORWAY MAPLE**—Very beautiful tree. A little hard to start but worth the effort. 6-8 foot trees \$5.25; 3 for \$14.75.

**AMERICAN LINDEN**—Rapid growing tree. Large glossy leaves, fragrant yellow flowers. 5-6 foot trees \$2.45; 3 for \$6.95.

**HOPA CRAB** — A very hardy well shaped tree for lawn or yard. The crimson buds are followed by rose colored flowers. The small red fruits make wonderful jelly. 4-5 foot trees \$1.85 each; 3 for \$5.25.

**RED SILVER CRAB** — Crimson flowers. Silvery-red foliage, and maroon fruit. 4-5 foot tree \$2.35 each, 3 for \$6.75.

All of the above trees are too large to mail, and will be shipped at customer's direction and expense.

## LARGE SHRUBS

These shrubs will grow to 6-8 feet or more and are generally not suited for foundation planting. They are best used as individual or background plantings.

**FLOWERING ALMOND**—Covered very early in spring with deep pink double bloom before the leaves appear. Very desirable. 18-24 inch shrubs 95 cents each; 3 for \$2.70.

**PEKING COTONEASTER** — A spreading shrub with fine glossy leaves. Many black berries in fall and winter. 2-3 foot \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75.

**CARAGANA** — **Siberian Peashrub**—A large upright growing shrub with pale green branches and Locust like foliage and small yellow flowers. Good screen or windbreak material where the growing is tough. 18-24 inch shrubs 55 cents each; 3 for \$1.45.

**HONEYSUCKLE**—**Tatarian Red**—Scarlet bloom in June followed by bright red berries. 18-24 inch 75 cents each; 3 for \$2.10.

**NANKING CHERRY** — A clean upright growing shrub. Light pink bloom followed by bright red cherries that make excellent jam. 18-24 inch 95 cents each; 3 for \$2.70.

**TAMARIX**—**Hispida**—Blooms bright pink over a long period in the summer. The best Tamarix, not to be compared with the wild form. 18-24 inch plants 75 cents each; 3 for \$2.10.

**SNOWBALL** — Large round clusters of white flowers in early spring. 18-24 inch shrubs \$1.05 each; 3 for \$2.95.

**JAPANESE QUINCE** — An attractive shrub bearing bright red flowers in spring followed by attractive fruits. Try it. 70 cents each.

**MOCK ORANGE**—**Coronarius**—Hardy. Tall growing shrub. Fragrant flowers in June. 18-24 inch 85 cents each.

**STAGHORN SUMAC** — Large shrub. Greenish flowers in dense terminal panicles. Red berries. 55 cents each.

**DOGWOOD** — Hardy, vigorous, upright shrub. White flowers. Bright red bark. Good contrast shrub. 18-24 inch 75 cents each; 3 for \$2.10.

## SMALL SHRUBS

These shrubs are generally suitable for planting close to the house and where space is limited. They should be planted in front of larger growing kinds in borders.

**JAPANESE BARBERRY** — A very hardy shrub with small foliage that turns red in the fall. The red berries persist all winter. 18-24 inch shrubs 95 cents each; 3 for \$2.70.

**RED LEAF BARBERRY** — Similar to the above except that the foliage is bronzy red all summer and persists longer in the fall. 18-24 inch shrubs \$1.15 each; 3 for \$3.15.

**VAN HOUTTE SPIREA**—Our most popular shrub due to its masses of white bloom in early spring. 18-24 inch shrubs 60 cents each; 3 for \$1.70.

**FROBEL SPIREA** — Dwarf shrub, very hardy. Dark rose flower clusters in July and August. 65 cents each; 3 for \$1.75.

**SNOWBERRY** — A graceful shrub with attractive large white fruits in fall. Will withstand partial shade. 18-24 inch shrubs 50 cents; 3 for \$1.35.

**CORALBERRY** — Similar to Snowberry but the fruits are coral pink. Also resistant to shade. 18-24 inch shrubs 55 cents each; 3 for \$1.45.

**CISTENA PLUM** — A dwarf purple leaved Plum. 18-24 inch shrubs \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50.

**ARCTIC WILLOW** — Dwarf, blue leaf. Charming little shrub. 18-24 inch 60 cents each; 3 for \$1.65. Everything in this catalog is subject to sales tax

## VINES

**ENGELMANN CREEPER**—Self-clinging woodbine. Very hardy with five-lobed leaves turning brilliant crimson in fall. No. 1 grade plants 50 cents each; 3 for \$1.40.

**GOLDFLAME HONEYSUCKLE** — It is literally just that. Blooms all summer on a trellis or as a ground cover. No. 1 plants 85 cents each; 3 for \$2.40.

## LILAC

No shrub gives as good account of itself in this climate as the various species and varieties of Lilac we list here. They are all truly hardy and are not bothered with pests.

**COMMON PURPLE**—The old familiar reliable. 18-24 inch shrubs 70 cents each; 3 for \$2.00.

**COMMON WHITE** — The same characteristics as above except for color. 18-24 inch shrubs 95 cents; 3 for \$2.70.

**ROTHMOGENSIS**—The very popular and graceful Chinese Lilac. The flowers are a nice lilac shade on long panicles. 18-24 inch 85 cents; 3 for \$2.40.

**CHARLES JOLY** — Double, rich red French Hybrid Lilac. 18-24 inch \$1.25 each.

## HEDGE

**BUCKTHORN**—A very hardy shrub that makes a nice dark green hedge resembling privet. 12-18 inch, 10 for \$1.50; 50 for \$7.25.

**RUSSIAN OLIVE** — Very hardy. One of the best hedge materials for this country. 2-3 foot, 10 for \$3.00; 50 for \$14.00. 12-18 inch, 10 for \$1.50; 50 for \$7.25.

**PEKING COTONEASTER** — Excellent hedge, clipped or natural. Glossy leaves in summer with black berries in fall and winter. 12-18 inch 10 for \$4.00.

**TATARIAN HONEYSUCKLE** — Seedlings of the old familiar Honeysuckle. Use for tall hedge. 12-18 inch 10 for 3.00.

**CARAGANA—Siberian Peashrub** — Pale green foliage with yellow flowers. Use for tall hedge. 12-18 inch 10 for \$2.00; 50 for \$9.00.

## **ROSES**

Our roses are all Northern California grown. We have selected these varieties as being the best in each color and most likely to succeed. You can have roses if given the proper care.

### **EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEAS**

**JOANNA HILL**—Beautiful golden buff.

**POINSETTIA**—Bright scarlet. Fragrant.

**E. G. HILL**—Large blooms. Deep velvety maroon.

**BRIARCLIFF**—Good dependable silvery rose-pink.

**PINK RADIANCE** — Large brilliant rose-pink.  
Very fragrant.

**DUQUESA DE PENARANDA** — Beautiful deep apricot.

**CALEDONIA**—Large double white.

All of the above, No. 1½ grade, 95 cents each;  
3 for \$2.75, your choice.

### **RAMBLER**

**PAUL'S SCARLET**—Intense scarlet, vigorous and free flowering. No. 1½, 95 cents each.

### **SHRUB ROSES**

**GROOTENDORST SUPREME**—Long lasting crimson flowers. 18-24 inch \$1.15 each.

**AUSTRIAN COPPER**—Brilliant Orange red flowers inside and yellow outside. Very striking. 18-24 inch \$1.15 each.

### **BROWNING SUB-ZERO HYBRID TEAS**

In addition to the above we will have the famous Browning roses in Cloverset pots for late spring planting.

## APPLE

The apples listed are all very hardy and have quality also. It is generally a waste of time and money to plant the varieties popular in more temperate parts of the state. The seasons are so short that the late maturing kinds do not ripen fruit properly.

**ANOKA**—This apple bears very young, about the same season as the Yellow Transparent; the appearance and quality are very good.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT** — The most planted early variety in this country. Good.

**WEALTHY** — The good old standby in this country. Fine for fall and winter use.

**EARLY McINTOSH** — Similar to good old hardy McIntosh but earlier. Should be tried here.

**MINJON** — Early bearing fall apple. Nice red color. Developed for the north.

**DOLGO**—A nice shaped tree, beautiful in bloom. Bright red fruit, a fine jelly crab.

Any of the above well grown 9/16 caliper trees \$1.20; 3 for \$3.30.

## PLUM & CHERRY

**OPATA** — Purplish-red fruit of good quality. Bears early. Very hardy.

**WANETA** — The best and hardest of the large plums.

**COMPASS** — Cherry-plum hybrid. Hardy. Good for preserves.

9/16 caliper trees, \$1.45 each; 1 each for \$3.75.

**ENGLISH MORELLO**—One of the best sour cherries. 9/16 caliper trees \$1.70 each.

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Add 35 cents for packing and mailing on any number of fruit trees or bushes. All trees and shrubs are pruned for planting when mailed.

## SMALL FRUITS

**RED LAKE Currant** — Large red berries in long clusters. No. 1 shrubs 40 cents each; 3 for \$1.10.

**INDIAN SUMMER RASPBERRY** — Two crops a year of high quality fruit. No. 1 plants \$1.60 per dozen; 25 for \$3.00.

**HANSEN BUSH CHERRY** — A small shrub that bears lots of small black cherries. Good fruit and a good shrub. 18-24 inch shrubs 45 cents each; 3 for \$1.25.

**CHAMPION GOOSEBERRY** — Fair size berries, easy to pick. No. 1 shrubs 60 cents each; 3 for \$1.35.

**GEM EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY** — Spring and fall bearing. For best results make a new planting every spring. Discard plantings over two years old. Plant early. 25 for \$1.00; 50 or more at \$3.50 per 100.

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**FREE** with every order for trees, shrubs, or fruit-stock a 15 page booklet **HOW TO PLANT**. Complete information on planting, pruning and care of your nursery products.

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## PEONIES

These four varieties are selected for their very high quality.

**MARY BRAND** — Large rose type bloom. Dark crimson.

**MONS. JULES ELIE** — Very large light rose pink. Fragrant.

**WALTER FAXON**—Bright rose. One of the best.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA** — Very large double flowers, pure white flecked with crimson.

Potted. Not mailable.

## **PERENNIALS**

The plants listed in this class are all hardy and easy to grow. They were all grown and wintered in beds out of doors. Dug and packed with a ball of soil. They can be mailed but we do like to have you come and pick them out. Plant about May 1.

**CARNATION—Grenadin**—Hardy. Large full double flowers. Several colors mixed.

**PINKS—Double Scoticus**—Very fine. A variety of pleasing colors.

**DIANTHUS — Scarlet and Mixed Colors —** Free blooming strains on dwarf plants.

**ALYSSUM SAXATILE —** Covered with small golden yellow flowers in spring. For rock garden and border.

**CAMPANULA — Carpatica —** Wide upright blue bells on slender stems. Blooms all summer. **Rotundifolio** — Scotch blue bell. Small bells on grasslike foliage.

**COLUMBINE—Crimson Star** — Rich crimson with white center. **Rocky Mountain Blue. Pink** — Fine perennial.

**DELPHINIUM — Pacific Giant —** Wide range of colors and forms. None better.

**DELPHINIUM—Sapphire**—New rich blue flowers with tiny golden center.

**GAILLARDIA—Portala Hybrids**—Brilliant scarlet. Blooms all summer.

**GYPSOPHILA — Baby Breath —** A favorite for filling bouquets. Can be dried for winter. **Snowflake**—Double white. **Oldhamiana** — Feathery light pink flowers.

**SHASTA DAISY — Giant Double —** Very large flowered.

**PAINTED DAISY —** Many pleasing shades of long stemmed semi-double and double flowers.

## TALL BEARDED IRIS

Plant early.

**ARCTIC**—Tall, white and gold.

**AT DAWNING** — Pinkish white. Very pleasing color.

**INDIAN HILLS**—A true purple.

**CRIMSON TIDE**—Velvety red and orange.

Any of the above fine new varieties 30 cents each; one each \$1.10.

## BLEEDING HEART

The good hardy, dependable old fashioned kind.  
Plant early. In Cloverset pots; not mailable.

Postage on all perennials, 30 cents on each package. Please add sales tax.

**HOLLYHOCK** — **Chaters Double** — Best double.  
Mixed colors.

ALL PERENNIALS listed above, 25 cents each,  
3 for 65 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, your selection.  
Postage and packing 30 cents any number.

**CAMPANULA MEDIUM** — **Canterbury Bell** —  
**Biennials** — Both single and Cup and Saucer types. \$1.50 per dozen.

**ICELAND POPPIES** — Bright perennials in shades of white, yellow, orange, and pink, mixed. \$1.50 per dozen.

## PANSY PLANTS

We have a large planting of pansies and violas that were starting to bloom before the snow came. They should be in fine shape for early planting.

**SWISS GIANTS** — Large well rounded flowers of good substance on sturdy flowers. The colors are very rich. Good outdoor grown plants that do not wilt when transplanted.

**VIOLAS** — Miniature pansies. Bright colors, bloom through the hot weather. Same price as pansies.

Pansy and Viola plants 90 cents per dozen; 30 cents packing and mailing on any number.

# ORIENTAL POPPY

**BIG JIM**—Mammoth deep maroon.

**HELEN ELIZABETH**—Crinkled. LaFrance pink.

**HERCULES**—Immense scarlet.

**ORANGE**—Black markings at center.

Started plants in pots, 55 cents each; one each of the 4 for \$2.00. By mail 35 cents any number. Plant early.

## ANNUAL FLOWERING PLANTS

All of these plants are grown from seed and transplanted into flats. They can be mailed but more soil can be given with the plant when called for. Ready to set out May 20 to June 15.

**ASTERS—Princess**—Crested or cushioned centers. Bloom very early, wonderful for cutting. Our own blend of several colors.

**ASTERS—American Branching**—Good full double bloom in midseason. Our own mixture of colors.

**ALYSSUM**—Low growing for borders.

**Carpet of Snow**—Flat masses of white flowers.

**Royal Carpet**—Best new purple variety.

**CALENDULA**—A mixture of the best new sorts.

**COSMOS—Sensation**—Very large flowers, early.

**CENTAUREA**—Nice assortment of colors.

**GODETIA**—Bright colors. Will do good in partial shade and poor soil.

**LOBELIA**—Compact plants for borders and boxes. Deep blue.

**MARIGOLD—Color Magic**—Bushy plants, rich shades of yellow and orange, irregularly marked with red. All Double.

**ORANGE**—New, tall, large flowering.

**NASTURTIUM — Gleam Hybrids —** New double sweet scented. Dwarf.

**Tall Mixed Colors** — For trailing over fences and walls.

Nasturtium plants sold in bands only. Not mailable. 90 cents for flat of 12 plants.

**SCABIOSA—Pin Cushion Plant**—New sorts that make fine long stemmed cut flowers.

**SNAPDRAGON—New Hit Parade**—The best for cut flowers and bedding that we have found.

**STOCKS**—Bismarck double mixed.

**VERBENA**—Sparkle—Bright scarlet with white eye. New.

**ZINNIA**—Blaze—Combination of fiery mandarin red and scarlet orange. New.

**Fantasy Mixed**—New.

**SWEET PEAS**—Carefully balanced colors planted in bands. They transplant nicely and bloom early. Plant out about May 1st. Flat of 12 plant in bands 90 cents.

All of the above annuals except where noted are 60 cents per dozen, assorted 6 or more of a kind. Postage and packing 25 cents on any number.

## PLANTS IN BANDS

We are transplanting many annuals into 2 inch bands, 12 to a flat. These plants start off with almost no check in growth and without any loss. All are 30 cents per dozen more than plants from flats. Not mailable.

## PETUNIAS

**DOUBLE — Glorious Strain** — The finest of all double petunias. Flowers very large, a nice range of colors. 80 cents per dozen.

**FLUFFY RUFFLES** — Fringed and ruffled. Rich gaudy colors of immense size. 70 cents per dozen.

**COMANCHE** — The best red yet. Compact plant with flowers of the most intense red. 70 cents per dozen.

**TANGO** — Bright salmon-scarlet. 70 cents per dozen.

**SNOWBALL** — Fine new white variety. 60 cents per dozen.

**WINSOME** — Soft rose pink. 60 cents per dozen.

**BALCONY** — Very popular for beds and window boxes. 60 cents per dozen.

## GLADIOLI

Plant about May first in this climate, four inches deep, in good garden soil. We have selected these varieties to give you the widest range of color possible. All early blooming.

**VALERIA** — New fine red. Produces a beautiful spike.

**ETHEL CAVE COLE** — New light pink. Heavy spikes.

**MARGARET FULTON**—Early rose pink.

**GOLD DUST**—Fine spike golden yellow.

**MARGARET BEATON**—White with orange blotch in throat.

**SNOW PRINCESS**—Very fine pure white.

**PAUL RUBENS**—Purple violet.

All No. 1 size bulbs, 3 of a variety marked for 25 cents; 90 cents per dozen; 25 for \$1.75.

**FINE MIXED**—Some of all of the above and other varieties, No. 1 bulbs, 25 for \$1.25. Add 25 cents packing and mailing any number. Sales tax added.

## FLOWER POTS

We have a full stock of nice smooth red clay pots for your house plants. By mail, not prepaid, at your risk.

2½ inch	5c
3 inch with saucer	2 for 25c
4 inch with saucer	20c
5 inch with saucer	39c
6 inch with saucer	35c
7 inch with saucer	55c
8 inch with saucer	70c
10 inch, no saucer	\$1.30
12 inch with saucer	\$3.65

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## **CAULIFLOWER**

**EARLY SNOWBALL** — Large solid white heads. The plant has sufficient leaves to cover head when tied up.

Well hardened plants, 20c dozen; 35c for 25; \$1.25 per 100.

**BROCCOLI** — Sometimes called green cauliflower. Grow same as cauliflower except that heads need not be covered. Rich in vitamins. Price same as cauliflower.

**BRUSSELS SPROUTS** — **Long Island Improved** — Plant same as cabbage. 20c per dozen; 35c for 25.

## **CABBAGE**

Our cabbage plants are grown in cold frames and are as near frost proof as we can make them. Plants from May 1st until July.

**GOLDEN ACRE**—70 days—Very early round heads weighing from four to six pounds. Quality the very best. Plant is dwarf and can be planted close.

**GLORY OF ENKHUIZEN**—90 days—Second early heads of unusual size and quality. The variety is a favorite wherever tried. It is used in the high country for winter storage. The best for kraut.

**PENN STATE BALLHEAD** — 110 days — An improved strain of Short-Stem Ballhead. The hardest and surest heading cabbage we have ever grown.

We suggest for a longer season of use that you do not plant all cabbage and cauliflower at one time. Put out some plants early in May and again about June first.

Cabbage for winter use should not be planted too early. In the lower altitudes June 1 to 15 will be found about right. In the mountains plant early and second early varieties about the same time.

All cabbage plants, 25 for 30 cents; 50 or more, \$1.00 per 100.

## TOMATO PLANTS

All tomato plants are transplanted in specially prepared hot beds and handled to secure the greatest possible root growth and hardiness.

Set plants very deep, four inches of top is generally all that is desirable to leave above ground. The very long plants that you get later in the season should be laid lengthwise with the furrow.

**VICTOR**—Small vine or determinate variety, developed for Northern States and Mountain areas. Very early, fair sized scarlet fruit. Can be planted closer than older varieties. This variety bore us more ripe tomatoes than any we have ever tested.

**EARLEANA**—Earlier and better than most of the so-called early tomatoes.

**JOHN BAER**—**95 days**—Early, smooth, solid, red tomato. A few days later than Earleana. One of the best.

35 cents per dozen; \$1.25 for 50; \$2.40 per 100.

## PEPPERS

Plant peppers in rich well drained soil for best results. There are no better varieties grown than the ones we offer here.

**WINDSOR "A"**—Good size with thick walls. Very early. The best where the season is short.

**CALIFORNIA WONDER—Low Bush**—This is the most beautiful pepper that we have ever seen. Great big square thick walled fruit of the best quality. It is early.

**HUNGARIAN HOT** — Large early hot pepper. Yellow turning to red.

35 cents per dozen, \$1.25 for 50, \$2.40 per 100.

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**NOTE**—Mailing charge on all vegetable plants is just 25 cents if all can be mailed at one time. This gives very cheap mailing on larger orders.

## **EGG PLANT**

**NEW HAMPSHIRE HYBRID**—A very hardy early variety of fair size and quality. Transplanted plants 50 cents per dozen.

## **ASPARAGUS**

**Martha Washington**—The best variety for all purposes. Good two-year roots 60 cents per dozen; 50 or more at \$3.90 per 100. The average family should have not less than 50 plants for a worthwhile bed. Allow 30 cents postage any number.

## **RHUBARB**

Large red yielding variety. Rhubarb needs very rich soil and plenty of water all season. Good divisions 2 for 35 cents, 6 for \$1.00. Add 30 cents postage any number.

## **ONION PLANTS**

Grown in Texas for northern planters. For best results should be planted early. 50 to 100 in a bunch. **Yellow Bermuda, Sweet Spanish.** 20c per bunch; 5 bunches for 90c. Add 25 cents for postage any number.

## **ONION SETS**

White or yellow, 30 cents per pound. Add postage 25c for any amount.

## **HOT KAPS**

Hot Kaps have come into general use for protection of tender crops. Especially valuable to protect tomato and pepper plants until danger of frost is over. Seed of cucumber and other vine crops can be hastened and protected by placing at time of planting. Twenty-five **Germanco Hot Kaps** with card board setter and instructions, 95 cents; 100 for \$3.15. Add 20 cents postage for 25 and 25 cents for 100.

## SWEET PEAS

For best results with sweet peas, plant in good garden soil well and deeply prepared. A slight trench is desirable so that soil can be worked toward the plants as they grow. Frequent hoeing and a regular supply of water is necessary. Plant as early as possible. Pick blooms often. Four packages or one ounce of seed is sufficient to plant 25 feet of row.

We have selected the best varieties of Giant Spencers to give you a nice range of colors.

**GIGANTIC**—White—Many large flowers at one time.

**FLUFFY RUFFLES**—Cream pink.—Giant flowers.

**PINKIE**—The best clear pink.

**RUFFLED CRIMSON**—Rich crimson.

**WARRIOR**—Chocolate maroon.

**AMBITION**—Lavender—Long stems.

**FLAGSHIP**—Clear deep blue.

**TANGERINE**—Glowing orange.

**YOUTH**—Pink—Picotee edge on white.

**MIXED** — Some of all of the above and other varieties.

All of the above Best Spencers, 10 cents per package, 30 cents per ounce. 1 package, 1 each, 9 colors, 80 cents postpaid.

## VIGORO

A complete fertilizer for general garden and lawn use. Also good for house plants. Apply at the rate of 4 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. broadcast or 1 lb. per 50 ft. of row side dressing. A one lb. package will last the average house plant gardener over a year. 1 lb package 15c; 5 lbs 60c; 10 lbs \$1.00; 25 lbs \$2.10; 50 lbs \$3.50; 100 lbs \$6.10. Prices subject to change.

# HOW TO BUILD A LAWN

Very early spring or early fall are the best times to start a lawn.

Considerable fills or ditches should be settled thoroughly and the necessary grading done. Then all the soil should be stirred to a uniform depth of ten or more inches. Wherever possible the natural top soil should be used. The next step is to incorporate a good layer of well rotted manure with the top five inches of the soil. This top layer is the seed bed and should be pulverized carefully and the finishing touches put on the grading. Thorough preparation will pay off in a better stand of grass and in a lawn that is both beautiful and easy to care for.

Seed should be distributed evenly. One pound of good seed will sow 400 or more square feet. Mulch with one half inch of straw, or better, a light covering of fine manure free from weed seed. If manure is not used the seed should be raked in lightly.

After watering is started the ground should never be allowed to dry until grass is well started. A good sprayer that will cover evenly without washing is necessary to do a good job. Mowing should start when grass is two inches high.

Of course good seed will be necessary for success.

## LAWN GRASS SEED

Owing to a severe shortage of Kentucky Blue Grass and other lawn grass seeds, we have been compelled to change our mixture this year. We are still using only grasses that will give good results. This mixture contains sufficient White Clover. One pound \$1.65; 5 lbs. or more at \$1.63. Add postage at parcel post rates. Price subject to change without notice.

**WHITE CLOVER**— $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 65 cents; 1 lb. \$1.20.

# GARDEN SEED

The varieties we offer are the ones we use in our own garden. Some are new, many are old standbys. All are early and adopted to our very short season. We use these varieties to freeze and can. There are none better.

**Salad Bowl Lettuce**—Large bunches of slow bolting, attractive tender leaves. **Premier Great Lakes**—The finest heading variety. **Prizehead**—Loose head, leaves tinged red.

**Stringless Green Pod and Pencil Pod Wax Beans** are both early and entirely stringless.

**Spancross Hybrid Corn** is ten days earlier than Golden Bantam and good for any purpose. **Mar-cross** is another hybrid variety ripening just a few days later and of the highest quality.

**Laxton Progress Peas** cannot be excelled for earliness, quality and yield. Large wrinkled variety.

**Early Wonder Beet** cans with good color and flavor.

**Black Diamond Cucumber** — A very early white spine variety.

**Pumpkin—Cheyenne Bush**—A pumpkin that takes up very little space in the home garden and produces small fruits of good quality.

**Kohl Rabi** — A vegetable that should be better known. Can be cooked or used raw in salads. Grow same as turnip and thin to six or eight inches.

**Ruta Baga**—They grow to perfection in mountain gardens.

**Chinese Cabbage** — Should not be planted until July. Best used like celery.

**Squash—Zucchini**—Very early bush variety. Can be used when only a few inches long and when mature. **Acorn** is the earliest winter squash.

**Buttercup** — Yellow meated small squash. Very early and as good as Hubbard.

**Watermelon—New Hampshire Midget**—New, very early. Try it.

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb 1 lb.

<b>Bean</b> —Pencil Pod Wax, Stringless Greenpod	15c	25c	45c
<b>Bean</b> —Kentucky Early Wonder, Pole	15c	25c	45c
<b>Corn</b> —Spancross Hybrid, Marcross	15c	30c	55c
<b>Peas</b> —Laxton Progress, Telephone, Alaska	10c	20c	35c
			pkt. 1 oz.
<b>Broccoli</b> —De Cicco	10c		
<b>Carrot</b> —Chantenay Improved	10c	20c	
<b>Cabbage</b> —Golden Acre, Glory of Enkhuizen, Penn State Ballhead	10c	50c	
<b>Cauliflower</b> —Snowball	10c		
<b>Cucumber</b> —Black Diamond, Boston Pickling	10c	25c	
<b>Chard</b> —Green Ribbed	10c	15c	
<b>Lettuce</b> —Prizehead, Brown Leaf	10c	30c	
<b>Lettuce</b> —Premier Great Lakes, Salad Bowl	10c	45c	
<b>Onion</b> —Early Grano	10c	35c	
<b>Parsnip</b> —All American	10c	20c	
<b>Spinach</b> — Bloomsdale	10c	15c	
<b>Turnip</b> —Purple Top White Globe	10c	15c	
<b>Tomato</b> —Earleana, Victor	10c	75c	
<b>Radish</b> —Giant Round Red, Icicle	10c	15c	
<b>Pumpkin</b> —Cheyenne Bush	10c	20c	
<b>Squash</b> —Straightneck Summer, Zucchini, Acorn Individual, Buttercup	10c	20c	
<b>Dill</b> —Dwarf Swedish	10c		
<b>Chinese Cabage</b> —Michili	10c		
<b>Ruta Baga</b> —Victory Neckless	10c		
<b>Parsley</b> —Moss Curled	10c		
<b>Kohl Rabi</b> —White Vienna	10c		
<b>Watermelon</b> —New Hampshire Midget	10c	30c	
<b>Endive</b> —Green Curled	10c		

Garden seed amounting to \$2.00 or more, postage  
prepaid.

## INSECTICIDES

We are glad at any time to help with your garden pest problems. Poisons are not mailable. Locally they can generally be sent by stage.

**ACME GARDEN GUARD** — A Rotenone dust for control of most garden pests. Harmless to animals and humans. Controls fleas and lice on animals and birds. 1 lb. Sifter Top Can 50c.

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**SEMESAN BEL**—Best treatment for seed potatoes and other bulbs and tubers. Enough for 6 bushels of potatoes 50c.

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**NEW IMPROVED WEEDONE**—A 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T Herbicide which kills most broadleaved plants without injuring grass or cereals. An 8 oz. can makes 6 gallons of spray or enough for about 1200 sq. ft. 8 oz. can \$1.00; 1 qt. can \$2.75.

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**GARDEN AND LAWN SLED**—Our own invention for watering garden and lawn without getting in the mud. Well made and painted two coats. You should see it work. Two foot high. Good spray head. \$4.90.

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